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GERMANY POURS ARMY INTO AUSTRIA TO REPEL ATTACKS

OLDEN TIMES IN HAWAII WILL BE SEEN IN PAGEANT

Lineal Descendants of Clans of Long Ago to Stage Historical Tableaux

KAMEHAMEHA'S KINGDOM WILL BE REPRODUCED

Picturesque Scenes to Be Portrayed on Oahu College Campus Feb. 22

Under the direction of the lineal descendants of the clans of Hawaii an elaborate historical pageant is now being prepared for presentation during Carnival week.

The pageant will be presented in two scenes: The first will depict the events leading up to the establishment of the Kamehameha dynasty and the second, entitled "The Dawn of the New Era," will show the steps taken by Kamehameha in building up his kingdom after conquering all the islands of the Hawaiian group.

According to those who are in charge the production will be more extensive and magnificent than former pageants. Much attention is being given to the correctness of the costumes, the music and the ancient meles. Many rare kahilis, feather capes and helmets and leis will be used in the production.

The pageant will be given on the Oahu college campus the afternoon of February 22, beginning at 2:30 o'clock. Story of Pageant.

The story of the first part of the pageant is as follows:
In the year 1754 Kalanikoupi, son of Kalanikoupi-umamao the kapu, first born son of Keawe-ikekiahikunohou, became king of Hawaii after having killed Keawe-opea, son of Alapai and grandson of Keaumoku.

Being a restless and warlike chief his reign was signalized by treacherous wars with the kings of Maui for possession of the eastern districts of that island. Though he was often defeated, he managed to hold his own.

This period was taken up with traditions of frequent and bloody wars, especially between the kings of Hawaii and Maui, for the possession of the Hana districts. The warlike kings of Oahu also repeatedly invaded Molokai. The breaking up of the kingdom of Kalanikoupi seems to have begun before the close of his reign. He held a great council of the highest chiefs of Hawaii to settle the succession, at which Kiwalao, his son by the kapu Maui Princess Kaiola, sister of Kahakili, was proclaimed heir to the throne with the title of mo'i, and with the kapu moe, wela and hoano.

The second place in the kingdom was awarded to his nephew Kamehameha. This place included duties as prince of the high priests of the order of Keiikiokopuohouana, and keeper of the ancestral war god Kukailimoku and of his heiaus with the "kapuwahi."

Kalanikoupi died and his son Kiwalao became king. The young king sailed for Honaunau with the remains of his father lying in state on another double canoe, attended by a large number of chiefs and armed warriors. Each party distrusted the other but neither wished to go to war. On arriving at Honaunau the young king was met by Kamehameha, who received him with all due respect, and after

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MILK INSPECTION WILL BE RENEWED
Active inspection of Honolulu's milk supply is to be renewed by the territorial board of health. This decision was reached by the board at its meeting last night. Some inspection has been done intermittently by Food Commissioner A. W. Hansen but for lack of funds no special effort has been made toward a general investigation of dairies and milk-supply conditions the last few months.

The board gave much of its time last night to the preparation of the biennial budget, for which the next legislature will be asked to make appropriations.

SUGAR
SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 23.—Sugar: 36 deg. test, 3.38 cents. Previous quotation, 4.05 cents.

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A-H. STEAMER HITS LOS ANGELES PIER WITH MUCH DAMAGE

[A. P. by Fed. Wireless]
LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 23.—The American-Hawaiian steamer Montanan crashed into the municipal pier here yesterday, tore away 50 feet of the structure and bent a bow plate badly. The accident was caused by the steamer failing to respond to the rudder. The damage to the pier is estimated at \$1500.

HARRY THAW TO BE ON TRIAL IN NEW YORK AGAIN

Notorious Case Enters Another Phase Following Supreme Court Decision

[A. P. by Fed. Wireless]
NEW YORK, N. Y., Jan. 23.—Harry K. Thaw, under indictment in the state of New York for escaping from the insane asylum, is due at the Tombs tonight. His trial will commence next Friday.

ROUMANIA WOULD RAISE WAR LOAN OF \$25,000,000

Supplies to Be Bought in New York, Says Despatch From London

LONDON, Eng., Jan. 23.—It is an open secret that Rumanian bankers are here raising money to buy war supplies in New York. An announcement that a loan of \$25,000,000 has been raised is expected momentarily.

BRITISH CONSUL AT HODEIDA IS SEIZED BY TURKS

ROME, Italy, Jan. 23.—The governor of Yemen, the Turkish city in Southwest Arabia, has seized the British consul at Hodeida and despite explicit orders from the Porte, refuses to surrender his prisoner, according to the newspaper ideas Nazionale. The paper says that the consul was seized in the Italian consulate and the Porte has ordered the punishment of those responsible for the deed. The governor of Yemen maintains that if he obeys the orders to surrender the British consul, he will humiliate Ottoman power and cause grave native disorders.

GALE DETAINS DACIA; COMPLICATIONS DELAYED

[A. P. by Fed. Wireless]
GALVESTON, Texas, Jan. 23.—The steamer Dacia, for Rotterdam, carrying a cotton cargo billed to Bremen, Germany, did not sail today and thus further international complications seemed possible did not arise. A gale detained the vessel here.

BRITISH COLLIER, NOW AIDING KARLSRUHE, IS TRAPPED BY BRITISHER

SAN JUAN, Porto Rico, Jan. 23.—With the British warship Bristol waiting outside this port, the collier Farn, seized from the British by the shifty German cruiser Karlsruhe, must sail or interne here within 24 hours after a date which has been made known to her commander by the U. S. officials but which is not made public. The Farn has a crew from the Karlsruhe aboard.

CONTRACT PLAN FOR ROAD WORK STRONGLY URGED

L. M. Whitehouse, Soon to Be City Engineer, Favors a Change of System

WOULD PUT NEW WORK ON COMPETITIVE BASIS

City Should Maintain, But Not Construct Its Roads, He Believes

"The policy I would recommend is that the road department do nothing but keep the roads that we have in repair, and that any new work that comes up be done by contract," says L. M. Whitehouse, who will become city engineer on February 1.

"We have some \$12,000 a month to spend for roads, and every bit of it should be spent in maintaining the roads that we have, using money out of the permanent improvement fund for new road work, all of which work should be made in a permanent manner."

"This money should be spent on what we would call the main arteries of travel: such as King street, from one end to the other, Nuuanu street, from the town up to the Pali, out Wai-alea road as far as the beach, out Kalakaua avenue, the main Manoa road leading up to that district, and the main road leading up to Kailahi valley."

"In this way we could introduce a cantonment system. Such a system as this has been advocated by all the civic conferences we have had here, and is the only way properly to maintain roads."

"The frontage tax will cover all permanent street improvement work. If this frontage tax is not put into effect, we will never have good roads, for the simple reason that we will not have money to build them. In other words, the money we would otherwise put into permanent improvements will be moved to the county by putting the frontage tax law in operation."

"The law specifically mentions the fact that all this work is to be done by contract. I think this is a very wise provision. The more work we can do by contract the better we are off. Experience has shown that it is cheaper to do work by contract. Suggests Amendment."

"One or two little amendments may be found necessary before the law is completely satisfactory. One amendment I would recommend would be the elimination of the word 'exact' in the section which requires the engineer to make a map showing the exact location of every boundary line, building and structure in the assessment area."

"This word 'exact' makes it necessary for the engineer to get the smith of every boundary line and in order to do that it is necessary that the survey shall be tied up to the territorial triangular system."

"Such a degree of exactness is not necessary. It would answer all practical purposes for us to take the maps on file in the engineer's office, and thus save a great amount of time and money. These maps may not be 'exact' but they are correct enough for all purposes of this act."

'OPIUM LETTER' YARN PUNCTURED BY W. H. TIDWELL

Special Treasury Agent Says No Government Official Here Implicated in Smuggling

News received from San Francisco is that William H. Tidwell, special treasury agent for the customs service, upon returning to the coast city from Honolulu denied that local government officials are implicated in the so-called opium ring through letters alleged to have been found by U. S. Marshal J. J. Smiddy in a local opium den. He punctured the story completely.

In company with L. W. Bean, special agent from Washington, Mr. Tidwell spent about a month in Honolulu on a search, it is said, for the leaders of the San Francisco-Honolulu opium ring. They arrived in San Francisco January 12. Mr. Tidwell said he would make his report direct to Washington.

"The letter found in an opium den, involving such an official, was a false lead," he continued. "No government official in Honolulu has been implicated in the smuggling transaction."

HAWAII RELIEF WORK BROADENED BY GREATER NEED

Committee Appeals on Behalf of Poland, Austria and Serbia

\$95,206.25 IS RECEIVED; NEARLY ALL FORWARDED

Not One Cent Used Up in Local "Overhead" Expenses; All Aids War-Stricken

The Star-Bulletin received today the following letter:
Editor Honolulu Star-Bulletin,
Sir:—In accordance with our custom to keep the public completely informed, and frequently, as to what the war relief committee is doing, we take pleasure in placing before you the following figures:

Total receipts today (including Chamber of Commerce assistance), \$95,206.25, which has been disbursed as follows:
For Belgian relief \$46,700.00
" Northern France 2,500.00
" Serbia 1,000.00
" Austria 1,000.00
" Poland 2,000.00
" British 75.00
" German 43.00
" Children's Fund 11.15
Total \$54,329.15

The committee has a balance now of \$377.10.

The committee in carrying out its work is of course bound to apply to any specified object funds which are donated to that specific purpose, which accounts for the very heavy excess in favor of Belgian and the small amount paid over for British and German relief. The two latter we were asked specifically to pay over to the two associations which are raising funds particularly for the Prince of Wales fund and German relief. This also accounts for the reason we have not sent large amounts to each of those two countries, which of course have suffered severely although neither of them have suffered by invasion. The \$11.15 was an amount which we were specifically asked to give to the children's Christmas fund, which was done. Of the \$377.10 in hand, \$302 is to be sent to the Red Cross in the United States for its particular use, and we shall probably send \$500 at once for Polish relief.

Fine Self-Sacrifice Shown.
The committee is sorry that it cannot give more particulars with regard to the raising of the funds. It has been most interesting. Quite a number of people today are paying over from month to month (while the war lasts) such amounts as they can afford, and of course this means the fine self-sacrifice which in a certain sense is infinitely higher than the gifts of those who can pay over a thousand dollars and not think anything about it. But it must be said that the thousand dollar people have also done splendidly. We have received many amounts which we are assured, without being told so, means many rigid economies practiced.

May we appeal to the public again? The need is increasingly urgent. The suffering and privation has now extended to Poland, parts of Austria and Serbia, and is probably quite as intense and terrible as in Belgium. We earnestly entreat the public not to forget the great requirements of our suffering fellowmen in these countries, and we will again repeat that of all that has been sent forward, not one cent has been used for so-called overhead expenses.

Respectfully,
War Relief Committee,
By W. R. CASTLE,
Chairman.

DIVIDEND ON LAKEVIEW NO. 2 OIL CO. TO BE PAID ON MARCH 15

Shareholders of Lakeview No. 2 Oil Company received notice in last night's mail that a dividend of 2 cents a share will be paid on the capital stock, out of the surplus earnings of the corporation already accrued, on March 15 next. Although the big gusher, which came in on May 10 last year and stopped in October, cost an enormous sum to bring under control, its output realized enough to pay expenses and wipe out old debts, besides leaving some money over and 3,000,000 barrels of oil in storage.

Most important of all to the stockholders is the fact that the company's holdings are in proved producing territory. Advantageous selling contracts have been made for this year with both the Standard and the Associated companies, and only a revival of the trade is necessary for realizing on all the stored product.

naturally attracts smugglers. But I don't think the smuggling is being carried on in a large scale at all."

The United Fruit steamer Limon collided with the schooner Dorothy Palmer off Cape Cod, Mass.

U. S. ARMY CHIEF MAY HAVE TO "PACIFY" ON MEXICAN BORDER AGAIN



Brig. Gen. Hugh L. Scott, chief of staff, U. S. A. Gen. Scott counsels that the United States should have an adequate army and coast defense and then be in a position to give "a soft answer to wrath" without fearing for the consequences if the soft answer failed to work. Gen. Scott may have to go back to the Mexican border on account of fresh revolutionary complications.

MAYOR REFUSES TO TAKE PART IN CAUCUS ON JOBS

Angry at Calling of a Secret Meeting to Discuss His Future Appointments

"I will not attend the caucus tomorrow to which I have been invited, or any other caucus called for such a purpose," declared Mayor Lane today to the Star-Bulletin, "particularly any called by Supervisor Larsen. I had hoped that this administration would be harmonious, but Mr. Larsen seems to break up the harmony. I have nothing further to say."

The calling of the caucus marks the opening of what experienced politicians term a bitter factional fight among the city officials. Lined up against the mayor are Supervisors Larsen, Horner, Quinn and Logan, according to the reports, although the latter two have declared themselves neutral in the fight being waged on the mayor's appointments to the various city positions. On the mayor's side are Supervisors Hollinger, Alia and Arnold.

The caucus will be held at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. The mayor has been invited, but he says he positively will not attend.

"Anything the supervisors have to say about my appointments I will gladly listen to at any time in my own office," the chief executive said. "I am trying to conduct the city's affairs in the most advisable manner. If everyone has an axe to grind it is going to be hard. Efficiency must rule. I cannot satisfy everybody on the board, I guess."

MALTA RESIDENT ASKS OF OPPORTUNITY HERE

Bearing the stamp of a British censor and sealed with a label showing that it had been opened "under martial law," a letter has been received by the Promotion Committee from Malta asking information regarding local business opportunities. In the large amount of mail which the committee has received since the beginning of the war, this is the first communication to be tampered with by the censor.

Attached to the letter is an international reply coupon which may be exchanged at the local postoffice for a five-cent stamp. These coupons are good in all countries which have adopted the arrangements.

Governor Ferriah of Michigan paroled Lewis Oliver, sentenced to life imprisonment for stealing a ham, his third offense.

A fourth Italian dreadnought, the Conte Cavour will be completed in February, to be followed soon after by a fifth and sixth.

RUSSIAN GENERALS BELIEVE MOST FURIOUS FIGHTING TO BE LAUNCHED IN SOUTH SOON

TEUTON TRAINS BEARING COUNTLESS SOLDIERS AND VAST SUPPLIES HAVE BEEN MOVING FOR MONTH FROM PRUSSIAN SILESIA—RUSSIAN ADVANCE AGAINST TURKS HALTED, CONTRADICTORY REASONS BEING GIVEN—BRITISH AIRMEN BOMBARD BRUGES DOCKS—ZEPPELIN REPORTED FOUNDERED IN NORTH SEA

[Associated Press Service by Federal Wireless]
PETROGRAD, Russia, Jan. 23.—The Russian general staff, according to what is learned today, plainly perceived that the German plans for the great campaign in the east have been materially altered because of the Austrian situation.

The severest fighting against the invading Slavs is expected in Bukovina and Hungary, where the Austrian resistance to the Russian advance has not been stiff enough to satisfy Germany.

Hundreds of trains of troops and supplies have been moving for the past month from Prussian Silesia through Hungary to the frontiers of Bukovina and Roumania. If the Germans are able to seize the Galician passes, which the Russians now hold, they would prevent Roumania from the occupation of Transylvania.

Turks Claim Severe Defeat Visited on British in Two Engagements

CONSTANTINOPLE, Turkey, Jan. 23.—Official—"The Russian main forces which attempted to encircle our left wing failed in the effort and retreated before our counter-attacks. "On Thursday the British forces made an attack on our forces near Kurno Junction, where the Euphrates and the Tigris join. Three gunboats assisted them but we completely defeated them."

British Airmen Bombard Docks at Burges and Make Escape

AMSTERDAM, Holland, Jan. 23.—British airmen have bombarded the docks of Bruges, Belgium, now held by the Germans. After the bombardment they escaped safely.

U. S. to Drop Below France in Naval Construction This Year

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 23.—The senate navy year book shows that when all the 1914 warships are completed by the nations America will drop from third to fourth place and France will rise from fourth to third.

Berlin Says French Lose in Attacks

BERLIN, Germany, Jan. 23.—Near Pont-a-Mousson two French attacks have been severely punished, according to the Berlin bulletin today. The battle continues, it says, and declares also that several fierce attacks on Hartmann and Weilerkopf have failed. Nothing noteworthy is happening in the eastern arena.

French Line Busy Repairing Trenches

PARIS, France, Jan. 23.—The official French bulletin today says that the infantry is busy along almost the entire front repairing the earthworks, which have been damaged by the heavy rains falling recently.

Russians Say Halted to Bury Turks

LONDON, England, Jan. 23.—A Reuter's despatch from Petrograd says that "a noble Russian advance was halted to bury the Turkish dead, who were so numerous that the outbreak of an epidemic was feared."

Austrian Shell Wrecks Disaster

BERLIN, Germany, Jan. 23.—A single heavy Austrian shell, hurled from a distance into the Russian railway station at Chercirey, has destroyed the station and killed all the soldiers inside, the station being crowded.

Say Zeppelin Foundered in North Sea

NOORDWICK, Holland, Jan. 23.—Fishermen arriving here from the North Sea say that on Friday night they saw a huge Zeppelin lying helpless on the waves. They declare it foundered.

Allies Claim LaBasse Now

PARIS, France, Jan. 23.—A despatch to the Paris Matin from Stomer says that the Allies have occupied LaBasse.